Docket Number (Optional) SHUTT-0001-C01

		In re Application of Rueben Matalon et al.				
				Filed		
		Application Number 09/965,807		Filed October 1, 2001		
		APARTOACYLASE GENE, PROTEIN, AND METHODS OF SCREENING FOR MUTATIONS ASSOCIATED WITH				
		For CANAVAN DISEASE				
		Group Art Unit 1653	Examiner Gabriele E. Bug	jaisky		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a						
response in the above identified application.						
The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):						
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		R 1.17(a)(2))			\$ <u>430.00</u>	
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	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))				\$	
	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))				\$	
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	assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71					
	Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).					
	☑ attorney or agent of record.					
	☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).					
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